

**EVIDENCE — DISCOVERY — Rule 11 & 15 disclosure of experts' reports**  
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When court-appointed experts examine a defendant's mental condition in connection with a Rule 11 inquiry, Rule 11.4(a), Ariz. R. Crim. P., requires disclosure to all parties of all reports provided by the experts. However, any statement or summary of the defendant's statements concerning the offense charged shall be made available only to the defendant. Rule 11.4(a). Also, the parties shall make available to the opposing parties the results of mental examinations of scientific tests, experiments or comparisons, including all written reports or statements made in connection with the particular case by experts other than those appointed by the court. Rule 11.4(b), Ariz. R. Crim. P.

Both parties must automatically disclose the names and addresses of experts who have personally examined the defendant or any evidence in the particular case, together with the results of physical examinations and of scientific tests, experiments or comparisons that have been completed. Rules 15.1(b)(4), 15.2(c)(2), Ariz. R. Crim. P. Upon written request by the opposing party, the parties must disclose any completed written reports, statements, and examination notes made by experts who have examined the defendant or any evidence in the particular case, or who the prosecutor intends to call at trial. Rules 15.1(e)(3), 15.2(e)(2), Ariz. R. Crim. P.